1981:

(i) Up to 14-11-81	3·50
(ii) From 15-11-81	3·65

1982:

(i) Up to 30-11-82	3.65
(ii) From 1-12-82	3·75

1983: 3·75

1984:

(i) Up to 31-1-84	3·75
(ii) From 1-2-84	4·00

1985:

(i) Up to 31-3-85	4·00
(ii) From 1-4-85	4·40
(iii) From 1-12-85	4·80

As regards the retail prices of free sale sugar, a statement showing the month-end retail prices prevailing in important markets during the period from January, 1979 to November, 1985 is attached. [*See* Appendix CXXXVI, Annexure No. 29]

(b) and (c) Since 1979 the retail levy sugar prices were enhanced on six occasions as indicated below:—

Date from which increase effective	Extent of increase (Rs. per Kg.)		
	From	To	Quantum of increase
1-12-1980	2·85	3·50	0·65
15-11-1981	3·50	3·65	0·15
1-12-1982	3·65	3·75	0·10
1-2-1984	3·75	4·00	0·25
1-4-1985	4·00	4·40	0·40
1-12-1985	4·40	4·80	0·40

Demand and supply of rice and wheat to West Bengal

SHRI SHYAM SUNDAR MUKHERJEE : Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total yearly demand for foodgrains rice and wheat separately, placed by the West Bengal Government for its public distribution system; and

(b) what is the total allotment and actual supply of rice and wheat by the Central Government to West Bengal during the years 1983, 1984 and 1985 (upto June 1985) ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO) : (a) and (b) A statement indicating demand, allotment and offtake of rice and wheat in respect of West Bengal for Public Distribution System during the years 1983, 1984 and 1985 (Upto June 1985), is attached.

Statement

Demand, allotment and offtake of Rice and Wheat from the Central Pool for West Bengal for public distribution system during the years **1983, 1984** *and* **1985** *(upto June* **1985**)

(*In '000 tonnes*)

Year	Rice			Wheat		
	Demand	Allotment	Offtake	Demand	Allotment	Offtake
1983.	2400·0	1330·0	1419·2	1740·0	1250·0	1024·8
1984.	2000·0	1320·0	962·3	1620·0	1512·5	802·2
1985. . . . . (Up to June, 1985).	900·0	660·0	318·9	780·0	756·0	266·7

Progress made during International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade in the Country

2015. SHRI YELLA SESI BHUSHNA RAO : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that as many as seventy developing countries are subscribing to the objectives of the International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade:

(b) whether India is one of countries ; and

(c) if so, what are the names of the countries which are participants of this Decade ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BALBIR SINGH) : (a) and (c) According to the information available with this Ministry 136 developing countries are subscribing to the objectives of the International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade. The names of these countries art given in the statement attached.

(b) Yes, Sir.

Statement

Afghanistan
Algeria
American Samoa
Angola
Anguilla
Argentina
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Botswana
Brazil
British Virginls
Burma
Burundi
Cameroon
Cape Verde
Caymanls
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
Colombia
Ccmorosls
Congo
Cookls
Costa Rica
Cuba J
Cyprus
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
EL Salvador
Equatorial Guines
Ethiopia
Fiji